

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Tribal Welfare Department – Sri K. Seshagiri Rao, Project Officer, ITDA., Mannanur, Mahaboobnagar District & District Tribal Welfare Officer (FAC) (now retired) – Failure to follow the rules and regulations while circulating the file to the District Collector, Mahaboobnagar in respect of appointment of Sri R. Cheenya Naik, Teacher as Hostel Welfare Officer, Gr-II – Disciplinary action - Imposing punishment of 1% cut in pension for a period of (1) one year from his pension – Orders – Issued.

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SOCIAL WELFARE (TW.SER.I.2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.612

Dated 11-9-2008.
Read the following:-

1. From the CTW., Hyd., Memo.No.K1/12533/2004, dt.22-1-2005.
2. From Sri K. Seshagiri Rao, Project Officer, MADA, Mannanur & former DTWO., (FAC), Mahaboobnagar, explanation dt.19-2-2005.
3. From the Director of Tribal Welfare, Hyderabad, Lr.Rc.No.K1/12533/04, dt.25-11-2006.
4. From the Director of Tribal Welfare, Hyderabad, Lr.Rc.No.K1/12533/04, dt.1-2-2007.
5. Govt.Memo.No.2928/TW.Ser.I(2)/2005-4, dt.16-4-2007.
6. From Sri K. Seshagiri Rao, Project Officer, MADA, Mannanur (Retd), explanation dt.16-5-2007.
7. Govt.Lr.No.2928/TW.Ser.I(2)/2005-7, dt.15-5-2008.
8. From the Secy., APPSC., Hyd., Lr.No.717/RT-I/3/2008, dt.4-8-2008.

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ORDER:

In the reference first read above, the Commissioner of Tribal Welfare, Hyderabad, issued the following charges against Sri K. Seshagiri Rao, Project Officer, ITDA., Mannanur, Mahaboobnagar District & District Tribal Welfare Officer (FAC) in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule-20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991.

Article No.1: That the said Sri K. Seshagiri Rao, while functioning as Project Officer, MADA, Mannanur, Mahaboobnagar District & District Tribal Welfare Officer (FAC) has failed to follow the rules and regulations while circulating the file to the District Collector, Mahaboobnagar by suppressing the rule position as well as clarification issued by his office in Rc.No.A4/5816/03, dt.9-12-2003 & 5-8-2004 and obtained orders from the District Collector, Mahaboobnagar for posting R. Cheenya Naik, Teacher, Ash. School, Banala, who was under the control of Project Officer, ITDA., Srisailam, as Hostel Welfare Officer, Gr-II in the existing vacancy under the control of District Tribal Welfare Officer, Mahaboobnagar on the pretext that a clarification was said to have been received from the Director of Tribal Welfare in Rc.No.A3/1253, dt.12-9-2003 & 25-11-2003, and thus mis-guided the District Collector, Mahaboobnagar.

Article No.2: That while functioning in the aforesaid office, the said Sri K. Seshagiri Rao, has colluded with his staff who dealt the file and did favour to Sri R. Cheenya Naik, Teacher for having been posted as Hostel Welfare Officer, Gr-II by violating the rules and clarification issued by Director of Tribal Welfare deliberately and mis-guided the District Collector, Mahaboobnagar. Thus he failed to verify the rules governing the recruitment of Wardens and the teachers, as there is no provision for appointment by transfer from the category of teachers as stated in Govt.Memo.No.29-A8/85-1, S.W. (A2) Dept., dt.13-3-85.

Article No.3: That while functioning in the aforesaid office, the said Sri K. Seshagiri Rao circulated the file to District Collector, Mahaboobnagar posting Sri K. Chandra Sekhar, Assistant Teacher, Ashram School, Jangamreddypally under the control of PO., ITDA., Srisailam as Hostel Welfare Officer, Gr-II under the control of District Tribal Welfare Officer, Mahaboobnagar. The action of the District Tribal Welfare Officer, (FAC) Mahaboobnagar is found to be gross violation of Government instructions with mala fide intention.

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2. In the reference 2nd read above, the charged officer has submitted his explanation and requested to drop the charges. The Director of Tribal Welfare, Hyderabad has appointed Enquiry Officer to conduct detailed inquiry into the charges against the said Accused Officer. The Enquiry Officer submitted the report of inquiry and the connected records and findings in the enquiry.

3. In the reference 3rd read above, the Director of Tribal Welfare, Hyderabad, has requested the Government to issue necessary orders under Rule 9(2)(a) of Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules 1980 on the charges held proved, as the Accused Officer retired on 31-5-2005.

4. After examining the matter it was provisionally decided to impose 1% pension cut for one year, and accordingly in the reference 5th read above, a show cause notice has been issued to Sri K Seshagiri Rao, Project Officer, MADA, Mannanoor, Mahaboobnagr (now retired) under Rule 9(2)(a) of Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980 and directed him to submit his explanation within 15 days from the date of receipt of the memo.

5. In reference 6th read above, Sri K. Seshagiri Rao, Project Officer, MADA, (Retd), and formerly District Tribal Welfare Officer (FAC), Mahaboobnagar has submitted his explanation and requested to drop the charges framed against him.

6. In the reference 7th read above, the Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, Hyderabad, has been requested to place the same before the Commission for its concurrence to impose 1% cut in pension for a period of one year to Sri K. Seshagiri Rao, Project Officer, MADA., Mannanur, Mahaboobnagar District (Retd).

7. In the reference 8th read above, the Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, Hyderabad, has informed that after careful examination of the disciplinary case in the light of the records made available, the Commission agree with the proposal of the Government to impose punishment of 1% cut in pension for a period of (1) one year on Sri K.Seshagiri Rao, Project Officer (Retd).

8. Government after careful examination of the matter hereby order under Rule 9(2)(a) of Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980 to impose punishment of 1% cut in pension for a period of (1) one year on Sri K. Seshgiri Rao, Project Officer, MADA, Mannanur, Mahaboobnagar District (Retd).

9. The Director of Tribal Welfare, Hyderabad is requested to necessary further action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

A.K. TIGIDI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (TW)

To
Sri K. Seshagiri Rao, (Retd)
Project Officer, MADA., Mannanur,
Mahaboobnagar District.
Through the Director of Tribal Welfare, Hyderabad.
The Director of Tribal Welfare, Hyderabad. (with original record of
Director of Tribal Welfare, Hyderabad. File bearing No.K1/12533/04
consisting of CF pages 1 – 467 and NF pages 1 – 14)
Copy to:-
The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, Hyderabad.
The P.S. to Hon'ble M(TW & RIAD)
The P.S. to Principal Secretary to Government (TW)
SF/SCs.

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SECTION OFFICER